

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20463

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RE: MURs 5164 and 5182

Reform Party of the United States of America and Beverly Kennedy and Barbara Dale Washer, in their official

capacity as Treasurer

Dear Mr. Maynard:

On October 20, 2003, your clients, the Reform Party of the United States of America and Mark Lauterman, as Treasurer, were notified that the Federal Election Commission found reason to believe that they violated 26 U.S.C. §§ 9008(c) and 9012(c)(2), provisions of the Fund Act, and 11 C.F.R. §§ 9008.7(a) and 9012.3(b), of the Commission regulations. After considering the circumstances of these matters, the Commission determined on March 30, 2006, to take no further action as to the Reform Party of the United States of America and Beverly Kennedy and Barbara Dale Washer, in their official capacity as Treasurer, and closed the files in these matters.

Documents related to these cases will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Lynn Y. Tran

Attorney

CC: Barbara Dale Washer